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II. REMARKS

Respectfully, and generally for the reasons set forth below, the objections and rejections and each ground therefore are traversed for the reasons set forth in the filing of May 7, 2007. The changes made herein are believed to be consistent therewith.

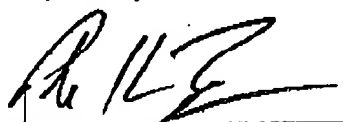
III. Conclusion

It is believed that the foregoing amendment will place the application in better condition for allowance or appeal.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set out below if it can in any way expedite or facilitate issuance of a patent on the application. Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned at the address given below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with the above-identified patent application or credit any overcharges to Deposit Account No. 50-0235. Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned at the address given below.

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